

Journal kept on board of Sharon

Saturday September 17

This 24 hours fresh breezes from E with squalls of rain steering by the wind nothing in sight Lat By Ch 67

Sunday September 18

This 24 hours fresh breezes from E steering by the wind nothing in sight Lat By Ch 67 S Long 163.18 E

Monday September 19

This 24 hours light breezes from E steering by the wind nothing in sight Lat By Ch 68 S Long 163.15 E

Tuesday September 20

This 24 hours pleasant breezes from E by N steering W of N nothing in sight Lat By Ch 68 S Long 164.50 E

Wednesday September 21

This 24 hours light breezes from E by N steering W of N nothing in sight Lat By Ch 68 S Long 163.40 E

Thursday September 22

This 24 hours light breezes from S E to E at 7 P M raised whales 4 boats and took two Westboat one Bowboat one took them along side and cut them finished cutting about half past 7 P M Lat 68 S Long 163.05 E

Friday September 23

This 24 hours calm all hands busy employed in boiling commenced boiling at 10 A M finished at 5 P M the next day nothing in sight Lat By Ch 68 S Long 162.22 E

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Saturday September 24

This 24 hours calm nothing in sight Lat By Ch 68 S Long 162.24 E

Sunday September 25

This 24 hours calm and strong breezes with squalls of rain from E at 6 P M raised Whales 4 boats the Starboard Boat took 1 Larboard fastened and drew Westboat fastened and the iron Bows

Monday September 26

This 24 hours calm all hands busy employed in boiling finished boiling at 6 P M nothing in sight Lat By Ch 68

Tuesday September 27

This 24 hours light breezes from E by N to E by E nothing in sight Lat By Ch 68 S Long 161.35 E

Wednesday September 28

This 24 hours light breezes from N to W steering N E by E all hands busy employed in fitting rigging Lat By Ch 68 S Long 161.05 E

Thursday September 29

This 24 hours strong breezes from W steering N E at 3 P M raised whales 4 boats took off after from the Larboard Boat fastened and drew and went on and mised all hands busy employed in stowing down oil Lat By Ch 68 S Long 161.55 E